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Subject: Briefing Memo - Chrysler's Trenton Chemical Plant  
New Act 307 Site

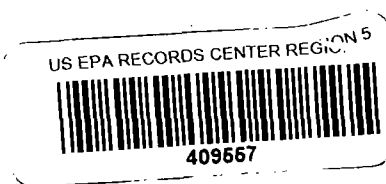
This morning I attended a meeting with Chrysler representatives and their consultants (Fred C. Hart Assoc.) regarding remediation of their site from historical disposal practices. Their investigation, to date, has revealed the presence of buried containerized waste (solvents, acids, resins), underground pools of oil, extensive amounts of ignitable wastes, and non-hazardous but contaminated soils, 40 or so surface drums of waste, contaminated surficial groundwater with some PCB present. The site adjoins the Detroit River downstream of Grosse Ile and sets in between Monsanto Corporation and McLouth Steel.

After the company's presentation, it appeared to me that this will be one of the most comprehensive evaluations/remediations underway in this office, and, the demands on both my time and our geologist, Virginia Loselle, will be quite extensive. Due to the corporate responsibility initiated, the chance for good PR, and the variety of remediation techniques to be implemented on this rather small site, I have arranged for the consultant to make a presentation to interested Lansing staff on August 4, 1987 at 10:00 A.M. in the 2nd floor Design Division Conference Room in the Transportation Building, and you and your staff are invited to attend. You will also be receiving a formal invite from Chrysler in the near future, with a request that coordination be put in place to effect eventual Act 307 delisting.

Finally, I'm hoping that a shift in some assignments will be approved which will allow this project to be given the thorough attention and oversight, which I believe you will agree, it deserves. Thanks.

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cc: Virginia Loselle



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